I. Amendment

A. In the claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 435, and add claims 949-954 below.

1. (currently amended) A method of using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device;

arbitrating with the controller computer, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which ones of the participator computers can form a group to send and receive communications; and

sending and receiving said communications in real time over the Internet network between said participator computers in said group, some of said communications <u>of members of the group</u> including a respective video, graphic, or pointer-triggered message.

2. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered message.

3. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered message and said graphic and further comprising a human communication sound.

4. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered

message and said video and said graphic.

5. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications further comprising a human communication sound.

6. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and further comprising a human communication sound.

7. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and further comprising a human communication sound.

8. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound.

9. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

10. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video.

11. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said graphic.

12. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said pointer-triggered message.

13. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and further comprising text or ascii.

14. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic.

15. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are ~~is~~ carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

16. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and further comprising text or ascii.

17. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said

graphic and further comprising a human communication sound.

18. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound.

19. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

20. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound.

21. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

22. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

23. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications further comprising text or ascii.

24. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

25. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and said video and further comprising text or ascii.

26. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are ~~is~~ carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered message and further comprising text or ascii.

27. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered message and said video and further comprising text or ascii.

28. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said graphic and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

29. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said pointer-triggered

message and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

30. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising and said pointer-triggered message and said graphic and further comprising a human communication sound and text or ascii.

31. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising text or ascii.

32. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps of sending and receiving are carried out with one of said communications comprising said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising text or ascii.

33. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

34. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message and said graphic, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate test or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

35. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

36. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

37. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said video, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

38. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

39. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message, and further

including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

40. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

41. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

42. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

43. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

44. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

45. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

46. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video.

47. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic.

48. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message.

49. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

50. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic.

51. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

52. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

53. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

54. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

55. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

56. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound.

57. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with ~~said sound and~~ said video and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

58. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and further including the step of arbitrating with the controller computer to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

59. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprising a human communication sound.

60. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said step of arbitrating includes arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

61. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating includes arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

62. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message.

63. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic, and wherein said step of arbitrating includes arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound and text or ascii to the other of the participator computers ~~text or ascii~~.

64. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

65. (previously presented) The method of claim 2, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

66. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

67. (previously presented) The method of claim 4, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

68. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

69. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

70. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

71. (previously presented) The method of claim 8, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

72. (previously presented) The method of claim 9, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

73. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

74. (previously presented) The method of claim 11, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

75. (previously presented) The method of claim 12, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

76. (previously presented) The method of claim 13, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

77. (previously presented) The method of claim 14, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

78. (previously presented) The method of claim 15, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

79. (previously presented) The method of claim 16, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

80. (previously presented) The method of claim 17, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

81. (previously presented) The method of claim 18, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

82. (previously presented) The method of claim 19, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

83. (previously presented) The method of claim 20, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

84. (previously presented) The method of claim 21, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

85. (previously presented) The method of claim 22, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

86. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

87. (previously presented) The method of claim 24, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

88. (previously presented) The method of claim 25, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

89. (previously presented) The method of claim 26, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

90. (previously presented) The method of claim 27, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

91. (previously presented) The method of claim 28, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

92. (previously presented) The method of claim 29, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

93. (previously presented) The method of claim 30, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

94. (previously presented) The method of claim 31, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

95. (previously presented) The method of claim 32, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

96. (previously presented) The method of claim 33, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

97. (previously presented) The method of claim 34, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

98. (previously presented) The method of claim 35, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

99. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

100. (previously presented) The method of claim 37, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

101. (previously presented) The method of claim 38, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

102. (previously presented) The method of claim 39, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

103. (previously presented) The method of claim 40, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

104. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

105. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

106. (previously presented) The method of claim 43, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

107. (previously presented) The method of claim 44, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

108. (previously presented) The method of claim 45, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

109. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

110. (previously presented) The method of claim 47, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

111. (previously presented) The method of claim 48, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

112. (previously presented) The method of claim 49, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

113. (previously presented) The method of claim 50, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

114. (previously presented) The method of claim 51, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

115. (previously presented) The method of claim 52, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

116. (previously presented) The method of claim 53, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

117. (previously presented) The method of claim 54, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

118. (previously presented) The method of claim 55, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

119. (previously presented) The method of claim 56, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

120. (previously presented) The method of claim 57, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

121. (previously presented) The method of claim 58, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

122. (previously presented) The method of claim 59, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

123. (previously presented) The method of claim 60, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

124. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

125. (previously presented) The method of claim 62, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

126. (previously presented) The method of claim 63, further including the step of: determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

127. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

128. (previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

129. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

130. (previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

131. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

132. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

133. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

134. (previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

135. (previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

136. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

137. (currently amended) The method of claim 11, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

138. (previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

139. (previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

140. (previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

141. (previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

142. (previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

143. (previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

144. (previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

145. (previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

146. (previously presented) The method of claim 20, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

147. (previously presented) The method of claim 21, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

148. (previously presented) The method of claim 22, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

149. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

150. (previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

151. (previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

152. (previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

153. (previously presented) The method of claim 27, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

154. (previously presented) The method of claim 28, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

155. (previously presented) The method of claim 29, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

156. (previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

157. (previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

158. (previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

159. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of communicating a user image from said one of the plurality of the participator computers to the other of the participator computers.

160. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, further including the step of communicating a user image from said one of the plurality of the participator computers to

the other of the participator computers.

161. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, further including the step of communicating a user image from said one of the plurality of the participator computers to the other of the participator computers.

162. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, further including the step of communicating a user image from said one of the plurality of the participator computers to the other of the participator computers.

163. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, further including the step of communicating a user image from said one of the plurality of the participator computers to the other of the participator computers.

164. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

165. (previously presented) A method of using a computer system to distribute communication over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

obtaining a respective authenticated user identity from a controller computer over the Internet network for respective use on each of a plurality of participator computers, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device;

programming the participator computers to enable the communication, including

at least one of a video, graphic, or multimedia;

connecting said participator computers to said Internet network;

using said authenticated user identity to communicate a pointer-triggered message from one of said participator computers to said controller computer and from said controller computer to an other of said participator computers; and

using said pointer-triggered message to receive the communication at the other of said participator computers in real time over the Internet network.

166. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

167. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, wherein the step of programming is carried out with said communication including said video.

168. (previously presented) The method of claim 166, wherein the step of programming is carried out with said communication including said video.

169. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, further including the step of forming a chat channel over the Internet network, and arbitrating channel communications between said participator computers at said controller computer.

170. (previously presented) A method ~~for~~ of using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

connecting a controller computer with a plurality of participator computers, said

connecting including connecting at least one of the plurality of participator computers with the controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device; and

arbitrating with the controller computer, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which of the participator computers can communicate to an other of the participator computers over the Internet network in real time at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

171. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said communication including said sound.

172. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said communication including said sound and said video.

173. (previously presented) The method of claim 166, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said communication including said sound.

174. (previously presented) The method of claim 166, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said communication including said sound and said video.

175. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, further including the step of sending the communication as an out of band communication.

176. (previously presented) The method of claim 166, further including the step of:

communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to

one of said participator computers.

177. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, further including the step of:

communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

178. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of:

communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

179. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, further including the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

180. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, further including the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

181. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, further including the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

182. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, further including the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

183. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, further including the step of:

communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

184. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

185. (previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

186. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

187. (previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

188. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

189. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

190. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

191. (previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

192. (previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

193. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

194. (previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

195. (previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

196. (previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

197. (previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

198. (previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

199. (previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

200. (previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

201. (previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and

content.

202. (previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

203. (previously presented) The method of claim 20, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

204. (previously presented) The method of claim 21, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

205. (previously presented) The method of claim 22, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

206. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

207. (previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

208. (previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

209. (previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

210. (previously presented) The method of claim 27, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

211. (previously presented) The method of claim 28, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

212. (previously presented) The method of claim 29, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

213. (previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

214. (previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

215. (previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

216. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

217. (previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

218. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

219. (previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

220. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

221. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

222. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

223. (previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

224. (previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

225. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

226. (previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

227. (previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

228. (previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

229. (previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

230. (previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

231. (previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

232. (previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

233. (previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

234. (previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

235. (previously presented) The method of claim 20, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

236. (previously presented) The method of claim 21, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

237. (previously presented) The method of claim 22, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

238. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

239. (previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

240. (previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

241. (previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

242. (previously presented) The method of claim 27, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

243. (previously presented) The method of claim 28, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

244. (previously presented) The method of claim 29, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

245. (previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

246. (previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

247. (previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

248. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

249. (previously presented) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

250. (previously presented) The method of claim 3, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

251. (previously presented) The method of claim 4, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

252. (previously presented) The method of claim 5, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

253. (previously presented) The method of claim 6, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

254. (previously presented) The method of claim 7, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

255. (previously presented) The method of claim 8, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

256. (previously presented) The method of claim 9, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

257. (previously presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

258. (previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

259. (previously presented) The method of claim 12, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

260. (previously presented) The method of claim 13, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

261. (previously presented) The method of claim 14, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

262. (previously presented) The method of claim 15, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

263. (previously presented) The method of claim 16, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

264. (previously presented) The method of claim 17, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

265. (previously presented) The method of claim 18, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

266. (previously presented) The method of claim 19, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

267. (previously presented) The method of claim 20, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

268. (previously presented) The method of claim 21, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

269. (previously presented) The method of claim 22, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

270. (previously presented) The method of claim 23, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

271. (previously presented) The method of claim 24, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

272. (previously presented) The method of claim 25, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

273. (previously presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

274. (previously presented) The method of claim 27, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

275. (previously presented) The method of claim 28, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

276. (previously presented) The method of claim 29, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

277. (previously presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

278. (previously presented) The method of claim 31, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

279. (previously presented) The method of claim 32, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

280. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

281. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

282. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

283. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

284. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the

plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

285. (previously presented) The method of claim 33, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

286. (previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

287. (previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

288. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

289. (previously presented) The method of claim 37, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

290. (previously presented) The method of claim 38, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

291. (previously presented) The method of claim 39, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

292. (previously presented) The method of claim 40, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

293. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

294. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

295. (previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

296. (previously presented) The method of claim 44, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

297. (previously presented) The method of claim 45, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

298. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

299. (previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

300. (previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

301. (previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

302. (previously presented) The method of claim 50, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

303. (previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

304. (previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

305. (previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

306. (previously presented) The method of claim 54, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

307. (previously presented) The method of claim 55, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

308. (previously presented) The method of claim 56, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

309. (previously presented) The method of claim 57, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

310. (previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

311. (previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

312. (previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

313. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

314. (previously presented) The method of claim 62, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including

communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

315. (previously presented) The method of claim 63, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

316. (previously presented) The method of claim 33, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

317. (previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

318. (previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

319. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

320. (previously presented) The method of claim 37, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

321. (previously presented) The method of claim 38, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

322. (previously presented) The method of claim 39, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

323. (previously presented) The method of claim 40, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

324. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

325. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

326. (previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and

content.

327. (previously presented) The method of claim 44, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

328. (previously presented) The method of claim 45, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

329. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

330. (previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

331. (previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

332. (previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

333. (previously presented) The method of claim 50, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

334. (previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

335. (previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

336. (previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

337. (previously presented) The method of claim 54, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

338. (previously presented) The method of claim 55, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

339. (previously presented) The method of claim 56, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

340. (previously presented) The method of claim 57, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

341. (previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

342. (previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

343. (previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

344. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

345. (previously presented) The method of claim 62, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

346. (previously presented) The method of claim 63, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

347. (previously presented) The method of claim 33, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

348. (previously presented) The method of claim 34, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

349. (previously presented) The method of claim 35, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

350. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

351. (previously presented) The method of claim 37, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

352. (previously presented) The method of claim 38, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

353. (previously presented) The method of claim 39, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

354. (previously presented) The method of claim 40, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

355. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

356. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

357. (previously presented) The method of claim 43, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

358. (previously presented) The method of claim 44, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

359. (previously presented) The method of claim 45, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

360. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

361. (previously presented) The method of claim 47, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

362. (previously presented) The method of claim 48, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

363. (previously presented) The method of claim 49, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

364. (previously presented) The method of claim 50, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

365. (previously presented) The method of claim 51, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

366. (previously presented) The method of claim 52, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

367. (previously presented) The method of claim 53, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

368. (previously presented) The method of claim 54, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

369. (previously presented) The method of claim 55, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

370. (previously presented) The method of claim 56, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

371. (previously presented) The method of claim 57, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

372. (previously presented) The method of claim 58, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

373. (previously presented) The method of claim 59, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

374. (previously presented) The method of claim 60, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

375. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the

communications.

376. (previously presented) The method of claim 62, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

377. (previously presented) The method of claim 63, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

378. (previously presented)The method of claim 33, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

379. (previously presented)The method of claim 34, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

380. (previously presented)The method of claim 35, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

381. (previously presented) The method of claim 36, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

382. (previously presented) The method of claim 37, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

383. (previously presented) The method of claim 38, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

384. (previously presented) The method of claim 39, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to

handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

385. (previously presented) The method of claim 40, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

386. (previously presented) The method of claim 41, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

387. (previously presented) The method of claim 42, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

388. (previously presented) The method of claim 43, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the

plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

389. (previously presented) The method of claim 44, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

390. (previously presented) The method of claim 45, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

391. (previously presented) The method of claim 46, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

392. (previously presented) The method of claim 47, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication

window capability.

393. (previously presented) The method of claim 48, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

394. (previously presented) The method of claim 49, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

395. (previously presented) The method of claim 50, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

396. (previously presented) The method of claim 51, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

397. (previously presented) The method of claim 52, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

398. (previously presented) The method of claim 53, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

399. (previously presented) The method of claim 54, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

400. (previously presented) The method of claim 55, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

401. (previously presented) The method of claim 56, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

402. (previously presented) The method of claim 57, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

403. (previously presented) The method of claim 58, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

404. (previously presented) The method of claim 59, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

405. (previously presented) The method of claim 60, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

406. (previously presented) The method of claim 61, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

407. (previously presented) The method of claim 62, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

408. (previously presented) The method of claim 63, further including the step of:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

409. (previously presented) A method of using a computer system to communicate over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device;

arbitrating with the controller computer, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to respectively determine which ones of the participator computers can communicate communications in real time over the Internet network; and

providing a member associated image and respective member identity information under control of said controller computer to the ones of the participator computers.

410. (previously presented) The method of claim 409, further including the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

411. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, further including the step of:

communicating, with said controller computer, an asynchronous message from one of the participator computers to another of the participator computers.

412. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, further including the step of censoring, with said controller computer, unwanted communication from a member.

413. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, wherein the step of arbitrating includes distributing chat communications to a chat group real time over the Internet network.

414. (previously presented) The method of claim 413, further including the step of providing, with said controller computer, private chat capability to the participator computers.

415. (previously presented) The method of claim 413, further including the step of providing, with said controller computer, private communication window capability to the participator computers.

416. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, further including the step of communicating, with said controller computer, human communication sound to the participator computers.

417. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, further including the step of providing, with said controller computer, video to the participator computers.

418. (previously presented) The method of claim 416, further including the step of providing, with said controller computer, video to the participator computers.

419. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, wherein the step of arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications including text.

420. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, wherein the step of arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications communicated out of band.

421. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, wherein the step of

arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications including multimedia media messages.

422. (previously presented) The method of claim 409, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

423. (previously presented) The method of claim 410, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

424. (previously presented) The method of claim 411, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

425. (previously presented) The method of claim 412, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

426. (previously presented) The method of claim 413, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

427. (previously presented) The method of claim 414, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

428. (previously presented) The method of claim 415, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

429. (previously presented) The method of claim 416, further including the step

of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

430. (previously presented) The method of claim 417, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

431. (previously presented) The method of claim 418, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

432. (previously presented) The method of claim 419, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

433. (previously presented) The method of claim 420, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

434. (previously presented) The method of claim 421, further including the step of controlling, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of the communications.

435. (currently amended) A system using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device, the controller computer programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which ones of the participator computers can form a group to communicate communications in real time over the Internet network, the participator computers respectively

programmed to send and receive ~~wherein one of~~ said communications ~~includes~~ including at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

436. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message.

437. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and said graphic and further comprises a human communication sound.

438. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and said video and said graphic.

439. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications further comprises a human communication sound.

440. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and further comprises a human communication sound.

441. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic and further comprises a human communication sound.

442. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound.

443. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

444. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video.

445. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said graphic.

446. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said pointer-triggered message.

447. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

448. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic.

449. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

450. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said

communications comprises said graphic, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

451. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said graphic and further comprises a human communication sound.

452. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound.

453. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said vide and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

454. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound.

455. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said video and said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

456. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said

communications comprises said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

457. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

458. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

459. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic and said video, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

460. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

461. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and said video, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

462. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises video and said graphic and further comprises a human

communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

463. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

464. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said pointer-triggered message and said graphic and further comprises a human communication sound, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

465. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

466. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said communications comprises said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein some of said communications include text or ascii.

467. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

468. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message and said graphic, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate test or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

469. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

470. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

471. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said video, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

472. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message,

and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

473. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

474. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

475. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

476. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video, and said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

477. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic, and said controller computer is programmed to carry

out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

478. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message, and said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

479. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

480. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video.

481. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic.

482. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message.

483. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can

communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

484. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic.

485. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

486. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

487. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic, and said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

488. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said pointer-triggered message, and said and said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers .

489. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of

arbitrating is carried out with said video, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

490. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said sound and said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message.

491. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said sound and said video and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

492. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said video and said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

493. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said graphic and said pointer-triggered message, and said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the

participator computers can communicate a human communication sound to the other of the personal computers.

494. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

495. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii to the other of the participator computers.

496. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with said pointer-triggered message.

497. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said step of arbitrating is carried out with graphic, and wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a human communication sound, and which of the participator computers can communicate text or ascii, to the other of the participator computers.

498. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

499. (previously presented) The system of claim 436, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

500. (previously presented) The system of claim 437, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

501. (previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

502. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

503. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

504. (previously presented) The system of claim 441, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

505. (previously presented) The system of claim 442, wherein said controller

computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

506. (previously presented) The system of claim 443, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

507. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

508. (previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

509. (previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

510. (previously presented) The system of claim 447, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

511. (previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

512. (previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

513. (previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

514. (previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

515. (previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

516. (previously presented) The system of claim 453, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

517. (previously presented) The system of claim 454, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

518. (previously presented) The system of claim 455, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

519. (previously presented) The system of claim 456, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

520. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

521. (previously presented) The system of claim 458, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

522. (previously presented) The system of claim 459, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

523. (previously presented) The system of claim 460, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

524. (previously presented) The system of claim 461, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

525. (previously presented) The system of claim 462, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

526. (previously presented) The system of claim 463, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

527. (previously presented) The system of claim 464, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

528. (previously presented) The system of claim 465, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

529. (previously presented) The system of claim 466, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

530. (previously presented) The system of claim 467, wherein said controller

computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

531. (previously presented) The system of claim 468, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

532. (previously presented) The system of claim 469, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

533. (previously presented) The system of claim 470, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

534. (previously presented) The system of claim 471, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

535. (previously presented) The system of claim 472, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

536. (previously presented) The system of claim 473, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

537. (previously presented) The system of claim 474, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

538. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

539. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

540. (previously presented) The system of claim 477, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

541. (previously presented) The system of claim 478, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

542. (previously presented) The system of claim 479, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

543. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

544. (previously presented) The system of claim 481, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

545. (previously presented) The system of claim 482, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

546. (previously presented) The system of claim 483, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

547. (previously presented) The system of claim 484, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

548. (previously presented) The system of claim 485, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

549. (previously presented) The system of claim 486, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

550. (previously presented) The system of claim 487, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

551. (previously presented) The system of claim 488, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

552. (previously presented) The system of claim 489, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

553. (previously presented) The system of claim 490, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

554. (previously presented) The system of claim 491, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

555. (previously presented) The system of claim 492, wherein said controller

computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

556. (previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

557. (previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

558. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

559. (previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

560. (previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

561. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

562. (previously presented) The system of claim 436, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

563. (previously presented) The system of claim 437, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

564. (previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

565. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

566. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

567. (previously presented) The system of claim 441, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

568. (previously presented) The system of claim 442, wherein said controller

computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

569. (previously presented) The system of claim 443, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

570. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

571. (currently amended) The system of claim 445, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

572. (previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

573. (previously presented) The system of claim 447, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

574. (previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator

for said communications.

575. (previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

576. (previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

577. (previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

578. (previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

579. (previously presented) The system of claim 453, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

580. (previously presented) The system of claim 454, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

581. (previously presented) The system of claim 455, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

582. (previously presented) The system of claim 456, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

583. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

584. (previously presented) The system of claim 458, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

585. (previously presented) The system of claim 459, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

586. (previously presented) The system of claim 460, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

587. (previously presented) The system of claim 461, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

588. (previously presented) The system of claim 462, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

589. (previously presented) The system of claim 463, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

590. (previously presented) The system of claim 464, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

591. (previously presented) The system of claim 465, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

591. (previously presented) The system of claim 466, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for said communications.

592. (previously presented) The method of claim 165, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said sound being a human communication sound.

593. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is programmed to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a user image to the other of the participator computers.

594. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein said controller computer is programmed to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a user image to the other of the participator computers.

595. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein said controller computer is programmed to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a user image to the other of the participator computers.

596. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein said controller computer is programmed to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a user image to the other of the participator computers.

597. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein said controller computer is programmed to determine which of the participator computers can communicate a user image to the other of the participator computers.

598. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein said controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of:

communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

599. (previously presented) A computer system distributing communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a controller computer programmed to carry out the step of obtaining a respective authenticated user identity over the Internet network, said user identity for respective use on each of a plurality of participator computers, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device and connected to said Internet network, the participator computers programmed to enable the communication, including a sound, a video, a graphic, or multimedia; wherein:

said authenticated user identity is used to communicate a pointer-triggered message from one of said participator computers to said controller computer and from said controller computer to an other of said participator computers; and

said pointer-triggered message is used to receive the communication at the other of said participator computers in real time over the Internet network.

600. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

601. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein communication includes the video.

602. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein communication includes the video.

603. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said controller

computer is further programmed to carry out the step of forming a chat channel over the Internet network and arbitrating channel communications between said participator computers at said controller computer.

604. (previously presented) A system using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer, at least one of said participator computers connected through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device; wherein:

the controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity to determine which of the participator computers can communicate to an other of the participator computers over the Internet network in real time, at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

605. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said communication including comprises said sound.

606. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said communication comprises said sound and said video.

607. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein said communication comprises said sound.

608. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein said

communication comprises said and said video.

609. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of sending the communication as an out of band communication.

610. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

611. (previously presented) The system 599, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

612. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

613. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

614. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

615. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

616. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating a user image from one member in the group to another member in the group.

617. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating an asynchronous communication from said controller computer to one of said participator computers.

618. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

619. (previously presented) The system of claim 436, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

620. (previously presented) The system of claim 437, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

621. (previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

622. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

623. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

624. (previously presented) The system of claim 441, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

625. (previously presented) The system of claim 442, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

626. (previously presented) The system of claim 443, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

627. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

628. (previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

629. (previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

630. (previously presented) The system of claim 447, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

631. (previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

632. (previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

633. (previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and

content.

634. (previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

635. (previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

636. (previously presented) The system of claim 453, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

637. (previously presented) The system of claim 454, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

638. (previously presented) The system of claim 455, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

639. (previously presented) The system of claim 456, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

640. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

641. (previously presented) The system of claim 458, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

642. (previously presented) The system of claim 459, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

643. (previously presented) The system of claim 460, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

644. (previously presented) The system of claim 461, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

645. (previously presented) The system of claim 462, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

646. (previously presented) The system of claim 463, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

647. (previously presented) The system of claim 464, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

648. (previously presented) The system of claim 465, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

649. (previously presented) The system of claim 466, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

650. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

651. (previously presented) The system of claim 436, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

652. (previously presented) The system of claim 437, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

653. (previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

654. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

655. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

656. (previously presented) The system of claim 441, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

657. (previously presented) The system of claim 442, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

658. (previously presented) The system of claim 443, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

659. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

660. (previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

661. (previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

662. (previously presented) The system of claim 447, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

663. (previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

664. (previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

665. (previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

666. (previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

667. (previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

668. (previously presented) The system of claim 453, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

669. (previously presented) The system of claim 454, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

670. (previously presented) The system of claim 455, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

671. (previously presented) The system of claim 456, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

672. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

673. (previously presented) The system of claim 458, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

674. (previously presented) The system of claim 459, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

675. (previously presented) The system of claim 460, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

676. (previously presented) The system of claim 461, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

677. (previously presented) The system of claim 462, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

678. (previously presented) The system of claim 463, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

679. (previously presented) The system of claim 464, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

680. (previously presented) The system of claim 465, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

681. (previously presented) The system of claim 466, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

682. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

683. (previously presented) The system of claim 436, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

684. (previously presented) The system of claim 437, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

685. (previously presented) The system of claim 438, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

686. (previously presented) The system of claim 439, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

687. (previously presented) The system of claim 440, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

688. (previously presented) The system of claim 441, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

689. (previously presented) The system of claim 442, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

690. (previously presented) The system of claim 443, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

691. (previously presented) The system of claim 444, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

692. (previously presented) The system of claim 445, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

693. (previously presented) The system of claim 446, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

694. (previously presented) The system of claim 447, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

695. (previously presented) The system of claim 448, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

696. (previously presented) The system of claim 449, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

697. (previously presented) The system of claim 450, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

698. (previously presented) The system of claim 451, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

699. (previously presented) The system of claim 452, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

700. (previously presented) The system of claim 453, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

701. (previously presented) The system of claim 454, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

702. (previously presented) The system of claim 455, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

703. (previously presented) The system of claim 456, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

704. (previously presented) The system of claim 457, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

705. (previously presented) The system of claim 458, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

706. (previously presented) The system of claim 459, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

707. (previously presented) The system of claim 460, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

708. (previously presented) The system of claim 461, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

709. (previously presented) The system of claim 462, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

710. (previously presented) The system of claim 463, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

711. (previously presented) The system of claim 464, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

712. (previously presented) The system of claim 465, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

713. (previously presented) The system of claim 466, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing private, real time communication over the Internet network, with said controller computer, between some of the group.

714. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein said controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

715. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

716. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

717. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

718. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

719. (previously presented) The system of claim 467, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

720. (previously presented) The system of claim 468, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

721. (previously presented) The system of claim 469, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

722. (previously presented) The system of claim 470, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

723. (previously presented) The system of claim 471, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

724. (previously presented) The system of claim 472, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

725. (previously presented) The system of claim 473, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

726. (previously presented) The system of claim 474, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

727. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

728. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

729. (previously presented) The system of claim 477, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

730. (previously presented) The system of claim 478, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

731. (previously presented) The system of claim 479, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

732. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

733. (previously presented) The system of claim 481, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

734. (previously presented) The system of claim 482, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

735. (previously presented) The system of claim 483, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

736. (previously presented) The system of claim 484, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

737. (previously presented) The system of claim 485, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

738. (previously presented) The system of claim 486, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

739. (previously presented) The system of claim 487, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

740. (previously presented) The system of claim 488, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

741. (previously presented) The system of claim 489, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

742. (previously presented) The system of claim 490, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

743. (previously presented) The system of claim 491, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

744. (previously presented) The system of claim 492, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

745. (previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

746. (previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

747. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

748. (previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

749. (previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the step of arbitrating includes authorizing a moderator for group communications including communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers.

750. (previously presented) The system of claim 467, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

751. (previously presented) The system of claim 468, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

752. (previously presented) The system of claim 469, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

753. (previously presented) The system of claim 470, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

754. (previously presented) The system of claim 471, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

755. (previously presented) The system of claim 472, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

756. (previously presented) The system of claim 473, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

757. (previously presented) The system of claim 474, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

758. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and

content.

759. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

760. (previously presented) The system of claim 477, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

761. (previously presented) The system of claim 478, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

762. (previously presented) The system of claim 479, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

763. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

764. (previously presented) The system of claim 481, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

765. (previously presented) The system of claim 482, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

766. (previously presented) The system of claim 483, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

767. (previously presented) The system of claim 484, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

768. (previously presented) The system of claim 485, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

769. (previously presented) The system of claim 486, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

770. (previously presented) The system of claim 487, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

771. (previously presented) The system of claim 488, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

772. (previously presented) The system of claim 489, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

773. (previously presented) The system of claim 490, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

774. (previously presented) The system of claim 491, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

775. (previously presented) The system of claim 492, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

776. (previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

777. (previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

778. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

779. (previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

780. (previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the step of arbitrating includes censoring responsive to at least one of said user identity, group, and content.

781. (previously presented) The system of claim 467, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

782. (previously presented) The system of claim 468, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

783. (previously presented) The system of claim 469, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

784. (previously presented) The system of claim 470, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

785. (previously presented) The system of claim 471, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

786. (previously presented) The system of claim 472, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

787. (previously presented) The system of claim 473, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

788. (previously presented) The system of claim 474, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

789. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

790. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

791. (previously presented) The system of claim 477, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

792. (previously presented) The system of claim 478, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

793. (previously presented) The system of claim 479, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

794. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

795. (previously presented) The system of claim 481, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

796. (previously presented) The system of claim 482, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

797. (previously presented) The system of claim 483, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

798. (previously presented) The system of claim 484, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

799. (previously presented) The system of claim 485, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

800. (previously presented) The system of claim 486, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

801. (previously presented) The system of claim 487, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

802. (previously presented) The system of claim 488, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

803. (previously presented) The system of claim 489, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

804. (previously presented) The system of claim 490, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

805. (previously presented) The system of claim 491, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

806. (previously presented) The system of claim 492, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

807. (previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

808. (previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

809. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

810. (previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

811. (previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

authorizing, with said controller computer, invisible viewing of some of the communications.

812. (previously presented) The system of claim 467, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication

window capability.

813. (previously presented) The system of claim 468, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

814. (previously presented) The system of claim 469, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

815. (previously presented) The system of claim 470, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

816. (previously presented) The system of claim 471, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

817. (previously presented) The system of claim 472, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

818. (previously presented) The system of claim 473, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

819. (previously presented) The system of claim 474, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

820. (previously presented) The system of claim 475, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

821. (previously presented) The system of claim 476, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

822. (previously presented) The system of claim 477, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

823. (previously presented) The system of claim 478, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to

handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

824. (previously presented) The system of claim 479, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

825. (previously presented) The system of claim 480, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

826. (previously presented) The system of claim 481, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

827. (previously presented) The system of claim 482, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

828. (previously presented) The system of claim 483, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

829. (previously presented) The system of claim 484, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

830. (previously presented) The system of claim 485, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the

plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

831. (previously presented) The system of claim 486, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

832. (previously presented) The system of claim 487, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

833. (previously presented) The system of claim 488, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

834. (previously presented) The system of claim 489, wherein the step of

arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

835. (previously presented) The system of claim 490, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

836. (previously presented) The system of claim 491, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

837. (previously presented) The system of claim 492, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication

window capability.

838. (previously presented) The system of claim 493, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

839. (previously presented) The system of claim 494, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

840. (previously presented) The system of claim 495, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

841. (previously presented) The system of claim 496, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

842. (previously presented) The system of claim 497, wherein the step of arbitrating includes:

providing group communications capability, with said controller computer, to handle communications between the one of the plurality of computers and the other of the plurality of computers, said group communications capability including private communication window capability.

843. (previously presented) A system using a computer system to distribute communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device; wherein:

the controller computer is programmed to carry out the steps of arbitrating, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to respectively determine which ones of the participator computers can communicate communications in real time over the Internet network, and providing a member associated image and respective member identity information under control of said controller computer to the ones of the participator computers.

844. (previously presented) The system of claim 843, wherein the controller

computer is further programmed to carry out the step of:

determining a user's age corresponding to said user identity.

845. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of:

communicating an asynchronous message from one of the participator computers to another of the participator computers.

846. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of censoring unwanted communication from a member.

847. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the step of arbitrating includes distributing chat communications to a chat group real time over the Internet network.

848. (previously presented) The system of claim 847, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of providing private chat capability to the participator computers.

849. (previously presented) The system of claim 847, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of providing private communication window capability to the participator computers.

850. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the controller

computer is further programmed to carry out the step of communicating human communication sound to the participator computers.

851. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of providing video to the participator computers.

852. (previously presented) The system of claim 850, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of providing video to the participator computers.

853. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the step of arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications including text.

854. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the step of arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications communicated out of band.

855. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the step of arbitrating is carried out with some of said communications are multimedia media messages.

856. (previously presented) The system of claim 843, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

857. (previously presented) The system of claim 844, wherein the controller

computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

858. (previously presented) The system of claim 845, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

859. (previously presented) The system of claim 846, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

860. (previously presented) The system of claim 847, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

861. (previously presented) The system of claim 848, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

862. (previously presented) The system of claim 849, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

863. (previously presented) The system of claim 850, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the

communications.

864. (previously presented) The system of claim 851, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

865. (previously presented) The system of claim 852, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

866. (previously presented) The system of claim 853, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

867. (previously presented) The system of claim 854, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

868. (previously presented) The system of claim 855, wherein the controller computer is further programmed to carry out the step of controlling invisible viewing of the communications.

869. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein receiving said communications includes causing presentation of some of said communications by one of said participator computers in said group.

870. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein one of said participator computers in said group is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications by one of said participator computers in said group.

871. (previously presented) A system to control communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer programmed to control real time Internet communication between said users by using a control database storing each said user identity, the user identity having a respective authorization for communicating multimedia in some of said communications.

872. (previously presented) The system of claim 871, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving, including causing presentation, of some of said communications.

873. (previously presented) The system of claim 872, wherein one of said communications includes at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

874. (previously presented) The system of claim 871, wherein said authorization for communicating multimedia includes an authorization for communicating

graphical multimedia.

875. (previously presented) The system of claim 872, wherein said authorization for communicating multimedia includes an authorization for communicating graphical multimedia.

876. (previously presented) A method of using a computer to control communication, the method including the steps of:

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through an Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a respective user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer being programmed to carry out the step of controlling real time communication between the participator computers; and

storing each said user identity and a respective authorization to communicate graphical multimedia for use in the controlling.

877. (previously presented) A system using a computer to control communication, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through an Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a respective user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer being programmed to carry out the steps of:

controlling real time communication between the participator computers, and storing each said user identity and a respective authorization to communicate graphical

multimedia for use in the controlling.

878. (previously presented) A method of controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

storing, with a controller computer, a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through the Internet network;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including at least one of a video, a graphic, graphical multimedia, or a pointer-triggered message;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

879. (previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including a human communication sound as said type of message.

880. (previously presented) The method of claim 878, further including the step of sending a denial message to the first participator computer of said participator computers if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network.

881. (previously presented) The method of claim 878, wherein the type of message is graphical multimedia.

882. (previously presented) The method of claim 878, wherein the type of message is video.

883. (previously presented) The method of claim 878, wherein the type of message is graphic.

884. (previously presented) A method of controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

storing, with a controller computer, a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through the Internet network;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including human communication sound;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

885. (previously presented) A system controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network; and

a controller computer programmed to carry out the steps of:

storing a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including at least one of a video, a graphic, graphical multimedia, or a pointer-triggered message;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

886. (previously presented) The method of claim 885, further including a human communication sound as said type of message.

887. (previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein said steps further include the step of sending a denial message to the first participator computer of said participator computers if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network.

888. (previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein the type of message is graphical multimedia.

889. (previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein the type of message is video.

890. (previously presented) The method of claim 885, wherein the type of message is graphic.

891. (previously presented) A system controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network; and

a controller computer programmed to carry out the steps of:

storing a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a

first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including a human communication sound;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

892. (previously presented) A method of using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device;

arbitrating with the controller computer, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which ones of the participator computers can form a group to send and receive communications; and

sending and receiving said communications in real time over the Internet network between said participator computers in said group, one of said communications including a human communication sound.

893. (previously presented) A method of using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

connecting a controller computer with a plurality of participator computers, said connecting including connecting at least one of the plurality of participator computers with the controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device; and

arbitrating with the controller computer, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which of the participator computers can communicate human communication sound to an other of the participator computers over the Internet network in real time.

894. (previously presented) A system using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device, the controller computer programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating, in accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity, to determine which ones of the participator computers can form a group to communicate communications in real time over the Internet network, wherein one of said communications includes human communication sound.

895. (previously presented) A system using computers to communicate over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer, at least one of said participator computers connected through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device and to an output device; wherein:

the controller computer is programmed to carry out the step of arbitrating, in

accordance with predefined rules including a test for an authenticated user identity to determine which of the participator computers can communicate human communication sound to an other of the participator computers over the Internet network in real time.

896. (previously presented) A system to control communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer programmed to control real time Internet communication between said users by using a control database storing each said user identity, the user identity having a respective authorization for communicating human communication sound in some of said communications.

897. (previously presented) The system of claim 896, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving, including causing presentation, of some of said communications.

898. (previously presented) The system of claim 896, wherein one of said communications includes at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

899. (previously presented) The system of claim 897, wherein one of said communications includes at least one of a video, a graphic, or a pointer-triggered message.

900. (previously presented) The system of claim 897, wherein some of said

communications include graphical multimedia.

901. (previously presented) A method of using a computer to control communication, the method including the steps of:

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer through an Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a respective user and an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer being programmed to carry out the step of controlling real time communication between the participator computers; and

storing each said user identity and a respective authorization to communicate human communication sound for use in the controlling.

902. (previously presented) A system using a computer to control communication, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer through an Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a respective user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer being programmed to carry out the steps of:

controlling real time communication between the participator computers, and storing each said user identity and a respective authorization to communicate human communication sound for use in the controlling.

903. (previously presented) A system controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer, at least one of said participator computers being connected to the controller computer through the Internet network; and

a controller computer controlled by a program to carry out the steps of:

storing a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including at least one of a video, a graphic, graphical multimedia, or a pointer-triggered message;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

904. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, further including human communication sound as said type of message.

905. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, wherein said steps further include the step of sending a denial message to the first participator computer of said participator computers if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the

type of message in real-time over the Internet network.

906. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, wherein the type of message is graphical multimedia.

907. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, wherein the type of message is video.

908. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, wherein the type of message is graphic.

909. (previously presented) A system of controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the system including:

plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer, at least one of said participator computers being connected to the controller computer through the Internet network; and

a controller computer controlled by a program to carry out the steps of:

storing a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including a human communication sound;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate

the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

910. (previously presented) A method of controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

storing, with a controller computer, a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer, at least one of the participator computers being connected with the controller computer through the Internet;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including at least one of a video, a graphic, graphical multimedia, or a pointer-triggered message;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

911. (previously presented) The method of claim 910, further including a human communication sound as said type of message.

912. (previously presented) The method of claim 910, further including the step of sending a denial message to the first participator computer of said participator computers if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network.

913. (previously presented) The method of claim 910, wherein the type of message is graphical multimedia.

914. (previously presented) The method of claim 910, wherein the type of message is video.

915. (previously presented) The method of claim 910, wherein the type of message is graphic.

916. (previously presented) A method of controlling real-time communications over an Internet network, the method including the steps of:

storing, with a controller computer, a user identity and a set of privileges corresponding to the user identity;

connecting a plurality of participator computers with a controller computer, at least one of said participator computers being connected with the controller computer through the Internet network;

receiving a login name and password corresponding to the user identity from a

first participator computer of the plurality of participator computers;

determining whether the set of privileges corresponding to the user identity includes a privilege to communicate a type of message in real-time over the Internet network, the type including a human communication sound;

if the set of privileges includes a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message to another of the plurality of participator computers; and

if the set of privileges does not include a privilege to communicate the type of message in real-time over the Internet network, not allowing the first participator computer to communicate the type of message another of the plurality of participator computers.

917. (previously presented) A system to control communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer, wherein at least one of said participator computers is connected with said controller computer through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer programmed to control real time Internet communication between said users by using a control database storing each said user identity, the user identity having a respective authorization for communicating human communication sound in some of said communications.

918. (previously presented) A system to control communication over an Internet network, the system including:

a plurality of participator computers connected with a controller computer

through the Internet network, each said participator computer connected to an input device to receive input from a user and to an output device to present communications, each said user having a user identity, the controller computer programmed to control real time Internet communication between said users by using a control database storing each said user identity, the user identity having a respective authorization for communicating human communication sound in some of said communications.

919. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein said sound is comprised of a human communication sound.

920. (previously presented) The system of claim 170, wherein one of said participator computers in said group is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications by one of said participator computers in said group.

921. (previously presented) The system of claim 409, wherein one of said participator computers in said group is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications by one of said participator computers in said group.

922. (previously presented) The system of claim 604, wherein one of said participator computers in said group is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications by one of said participator computers in said group.

923. (previously presented) The system of claim 843, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

924. (previously presented) The system of claim 600, wherein the plurality of participator computers are from more than an audience of a particular internet service provider.

925. (previously presented) The system of claim 876, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

926. (previously presented) The system of claim 877, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

927. (previously presented) The system of claim 878, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

928. (previously presented) The system of claim 884, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of

some of said communications.

929. (previously presented) The system of claim 885, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

930. (previously presented) The system of claim 891, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

931. (previously presented) The system of claim 892, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

932. (previously presented) The system of claim 893, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

933. (previously presented) The system of claim 894, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

934. (previously presented) The system of claim 895, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

935. (previously presented) The method of claim 166, wherein said step of programming is carried out with said sound comprising a human communication sound.

936. (previously presented) The system of claim 901, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

937. (previously presented) The system of claim 902, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

938. (previously presented) The system of claim 903, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

939. (previously presented) The system of claim 599, wherein said sound is comprised of a human communication sound.

940. (previously presented) The system of claim 909, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

941. (previously presented) The system of claim 910, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

942. (previously presented) The system of claim 916, further including the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

943. (previously presented) The system of claim 917, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

944. (previously presented) The system of claim 918, wherein one of said participator computers is programmed to carry out the step of receiving some of said communications, said receiving including causing presentation of some of said communications.

945. (previously presented) The method of claim 170, wherein the step of connecting is carried out with the plurality of participator computers from more than an audience of a particular internet service provider.

946. (previously presented) The system of claim 435, wherein the plurality of participator computers are from more than an audience of a particular internet service provider.

947. (previously presented) The method of claim 893, wherein the step of connecting is carried out with the plurality of participator computers from more than an audience of a particular internet service provider.

948. (previously presented) The system of claim 895, wherein the plurality of participator computers are from more than an audience of a particular internet service provider.

949. (new) An Internet communication system, the system including:

at least one controller computer;

two or more participator computers, each said computer taking part in the communication system, each said participator computer connected to an input device and an output device, the input device receiving input information from a respective user, the output device presenting messages, each said user having a user identity identifying the user;

a communication path between said at least one controller computer and each said participator computer, a portion of the communication path passing through or by way of the Internet;

computer software running on said at least one controller computer regulating steps including:

deciding whether a participator computer can be a member in one of a number of communication channels, each said communication channel allowing communication between two or more of the participator computers by way of said at least one controller computer, said deciding performed in accordance with previously defined criteria, said criteria including examining whether a particular user identity is authorized to access the communication system;

delivering user messages according to the previously defined criteria in real time between receipt and delivery of the messages by said at least one controller computer so as to allow the user to access the user messages substantially instantaneously; and

wherein at least some of the user messages are comprised of two or more data types from a group including text, audio, graphics, images, and video or comprised of a URL text that points to at least one additional data type other than text.

950. (new) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user messages includes an address that instructs any of the participator computers to locate another media type upon action by one of the users.

951. (new) The system of claim 949, wherein at least one of said user messages includes an address that commands any of the participator computers to locate an additional message and present the additional message at a respective output device.

952. (new) The system of claim 949, wherein said deciding performed in accordance with previously defined criteria is carried out with said criteria including examining a password in connection with one of said user identities.

953. (new) A method employing computer devices to make decisions and distribute communication, the method including the steps of:

establishing a communication path between at least one controller computer and each of a plurality of participator computers, the communication path passing through or by way of an Internet network, each of said computer taking part in a system, each of said communicator computers respectively connected to an input device and an output device, each of said input devices receiving input information from a respective user of the system, each of the respective output devices presenting user messages, each said user having a user identity identifying the user;

programming the at least one controller computer to direct communication of user messages from one or more of the participator computers to one or more other of the participator computers;

deciding with the at least one controller computer whether a participator computer can be a member in one of a number of communication channels, each said communication channel allowing communication between two or more of the participator computers by way of the at least one controller computer, said deciding performed according to previously defined criteria, the criteria including an examination of whether a particular user identity is authorized to access the system;

delivering the user messages according to the previously defined criteria in real time between receipt and delivery of the messages by said at least one controller computer so as to allow the user to access the user messages substantially instantaneously; and

wherein at least some of the user messages are comprised of two or more data types from a group including text, audio, graphics, images, and video or comprised of a URL text that points to at least one additional data type other than text.

954. (new) The method of claim 953, wherein said step of delivering includes delivering an address or URL of an additional user message and computer instructions that require at least one of the participator computers to locate the additional user message at the address or URL.